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//N06230//SUBJ/ POLICY FOR THE USE OF INFLUENZA VACCINE FOR THE 2011-2012 INFLUENZA SEASON//
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NARR/REF A IS THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC) VACCINE

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SELECTION FOR 2011-12 INFLUENZA SEASON. REF B IS CNOWASHINGTON DC NAVY INFLUENZA VACCINATION AND REPORTING POLICY. REF C IS THE CURRENT ASD (HA)

GUIDANCE ON INFLUENZA VACCINE. REF D IS CURRENT ASD(HA) GUIDANCE ON MANDATORY SEASONAL INFLUENZA IMMUNIZATION FOR CIVILIAN HEALTH CARE

PERSONNEL WHO PROVIDE DIRECT PATIENT CARE IN DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DOD)

MEDICAL TREATMENT FACILITIES (MTFS).REF E IS CURRENT BUMED POLICY ON IMMUNIZATIONS AND CHEMOPROPHYLAXIS.//

- RMKS/1. THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN COORDINATED WITH HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS, HEALTH SERVICES. TRANSMISSION TO MARINE COPRS ACTIVITIES HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED.
- 2. THIS MESSAGE PROVIDES GUIDANCE ON THE ACQUISITION, PRIORITIZATION, ORDERING, AND ADMINISTRATION OF SEASONAL INFLUENZA VACCINE FOR THE 2011-2012 SEASON.
- 3. INFLUENZA IS A DEADLY DISEASE THAT CAN AFFECT MISSION

READINESS. ANNUAL INFLUENZA EPIDEMICS CONTRIBUTE TO OVER 100,000 HOSPITALIZATIONS AND OVER 30,000 DEATHS. IN CONCERT WITH GOOD HAND-WASHING AND COUGH AND SNEEZE COVERAGE, THE INFLUENZA VACCINE IS HIGHLY EFFECTIVE IN MINIMIZING THE DISEASE AND ITS COMPLICATIONS. PER REF (A), THE SEASONAL INFLUENZA VACCINE WILL PROVIDE INCREASED PROTECTION TO INDIVIDUALS EXPOSED TO H1N1 AND H3N2 INFLUENZA A AS WELL AS INFLUENZA B. WE DO NOT ANTICIPATE VACCINE AVAILABILITY ISSUES. IN THE EVENT OF UNANTICIPATED VACCINE SHORTAGES, FURTHER DETAILED PRIORITIZATION GUIDELINES WILL BE PUBLISHED.

4. PER REF (B), THE SINGLE SOURCE OF INFLUENZA VACCINE IS BY THE ESTABLISHED

DOD CENTRALIZED DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, COORDINATED AND CONTROLLED BY NAVAL

MEDICAL LOGISTIC COMMAND (NMLC). VACCINE ORDERS WILL BE TRACKED VIA THE NEW

WEB-BASED VACCINE INFORMATION AND LOGISTICAL SYSTEM (VIALS) MAINTAINED BY

NMLC. PLEASE VISIT:

HTTPS://GOV ONLY.NMLC.MED.NAVY.MIL/INT CODE03/VIALS/.

- 5. INFLUENZA VACCINE WILL BE ADMINISTERED PER THE SEQUENTIAL PRIORITY CATEGORIES IN PARAGRAPH 7. INFLUENZA VACCINATION IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ACTIVE COMPONENT AND RESERVE COMPONENT PERSONNEL, HEALTHCARE WORKERS IN DIRECT PATIENT CARE AS PER REF (D), AND EMERGENCY ESSENTIAL CIVILIAN PERSONNEL AS PER REF (B) AND (C). IT IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED IN ALL OTHER CIVILIAN PERSONNEL, AND BENEFICIARIES AND RETIREES.
- 6. PER REF (B) NAVY VACCINATION GOALS ARE 90% BY 1 DECEMBER 2011 FOR NAVY ACTIVE COMPONENT PERSONNEL AND 90% BY 31 DECEMBER 2011 FOR NAVY RESERVE COMPONENT PERSONNEL. AS SOON AS VACCINE IS RECEIVED, COMMANDS MUST INITIATE VACCINATION CAMPAIGNS.
- 7. INFLUENZA VACCINATION CAMPAIGNS ARE RUN TO ASSURE MISSION READINESS

AND TO PROTECT VULNERABLE POPULATIONS. VACCINE WILL BE ADMINISTERED PER

THE FOLLOWING SEQUENTIAL PRIORITY CATEGORIES (A-F):

A. MILITARY AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL ORDERED TO DEPLOY IN SUPPORT OF AN

OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENT OR ASSIGNED TO A SHIP REGARDLESS OF LOCATION OR

DEPLOYMENT STATUS.

B. MEDICALLY HIGH RISK PEOPLE AND HEALTH CARE WORKERS IN DIRECT PATIENT

CARE AND NAVY EMERGENCY ESSENTIAL CIVILIAN PERSONNEL.

(1) PER REF (D), ALL CIVILIAN HEALTHCARE WORKERS WHO PROVIDE DIRECT PATIENT

CARE IN NAVAL MTFS MUST BE IMMUNIZED AGAINST SEASONAL INFLUENZA EACH YEAR AS

A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT UNLESS THEY ARE MEDICALLY OR ADMINISTRATIVELY EXEMPT.

EACH COMMAND IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DEFINING THE TERM "HEALTH CARE WORKER" IN DIRECT PATIENT CARE. EACH COMMAND MUST ALSO DOCUMENT AND RECORD THE VACCINATION OR EXEMPTION FOR EACH HEALTH CARE WORKER IN DIRECT PATIENT CARE AND BE ABLE TO REPORT STATUS TO BUMED POC NO LATER THAN 30 MAY 2012.

(2) INFLUENZA VACCINATION IS MANDATORY FOR NAVY EMERGENCY ESSENTIAL

CIVILIANS WHO HAVE INFLUENZA VACCINATION WRITTEN INTO THEIR CONTRACT OR

POSITION DESCRIPTION AS A CONDITION OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT AND WHO ARE NOT

MEDICALLY OR ADMINISTRATIVELY EXEMPT.

(3) ACTIVITIES EMPLOYING FEDERAL CIVILIAN PERSONNEL AFFECTED BY THE POLICIES

CONTAINED HEREIN WHO ARE COVERED BY BARGAINING UNITS ARE REMINDED TO FULFILL

APPLICABLE BARGAINING OBLIGATIONS PRIOR TO

IMPLEMENTATION. CONTACT YOUR

HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE FOR ASSISTANCE.

C. BASIC AND ADVANCED TRAINEES, OFFICER TRAINEES, MIDSHIPMEN AND THE

TRAINING CADRE OF THESE PERSONNEL.

- D. ALL OTHER MILITARY PERSONNEL.
- E. ALL OTHER MISSION ESSENTIAL OR MISSION CRITICAL DOD CIVILIAN AND

CONTRACT EMPLOYEES.

- F. ALL OTHER BENEFICIARIES.
- 8. INJECTABLE (TRIVALENT INACTIVATED VACCINES, TIV) AND FLUMIST (LIVE ATTENUATED INFLUENZA VACCINE, LAIV) VACCINE EACH COMPRISE APPROXIMATELY 60% AND 40% OF THE DOD INFLUENZA VACCINE SUPPLY AND WILL BE ADMINISTERED PER THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES (A-F):
 A. INJECTABLE VACCINE IS PRIMARILY FOR USE IN PERSONS OVER 6 MONTHS BUT UNDER 2 YEARS OF AGE; FOR PERSONS 50 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER; FOR THE MILITARY SEALIFT COMMAND; AND FOR THOSE PERSONS WITH A MEDICAL CONTRAINDICATION TO USING FLUMIST. EITHER INJECTABLE VACCINE OR INHALED VACCINE (FLUMIST) MAY BE USED TO IMMUNIZE HEALTHY NON-PREGNANT PERSONS AGE 2-49. FLUMIST IS PREFERRED FOR CHILDREN OVER THE AGE OF 2 YEARS. REF (B).
- B. FOR SERVICE MEMBERS IN AN ACTIVE FLYING STATUS (DIFOPS)

EXPOSED TO ALTITUDE AS PART OF THEIR CAREER FIELD, THE INJECTABLE VACCINE IS PREFERRED BECAUSE OF ITS SHORTER POST-ADMINISTRATION GROUNDING PERIOD (12 VERSUS 72 HOURS) AND ITS MILDER SIDE EFFECTS PROFILE. AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL AND UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE PERSONNEL ON FLIGHT STATUS BUT NOT EXPOSED TO ALTITUDE AS PART OF THEIR JOB MAY RECEIVE FLUMIST OR TIV WITH NO GROUNDING REQUIREMENTS. PERSONNEL IN AN ACTIVE DUTY FLYING STATUS WITH ROUTINE EXPOSURE TO ALTITUDE WILL OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES:

- (1) A SELF-CANCELING GROUNDING PERIOD OF 12 HOURS AFTER IMMUNIZATION WITH TIV. A SELF-CANCELING GROUNDING PERIOD OF 72 HOURS AFTER IMMUNIZATION WITH FLUMIST IS REQUIRED. FLIGHT SURGEONS MAY RECOMMEND RETURN OF AERONAUTICALLY DESIGNATED PERSONNEL TO DUTY INVOLVING FLIGHT OPERATIONS IN LESS THAN 72 HOURS WHEN NECESSARY TO MEET REAL WORLD OPERATIONAL COMMITMENTS AND SAFETY OF FLIGHT IS NOT COMPROMISED. THE PRESENCE AND SEVERITY OF SYMPTOMS MAY REQUIRE THE GROUNDING OF SOME PERSONNEL FOR GREATER THAN 72 HOURS.
- (2) TO MINIMIZE OPERATIONAL IMPACT, COMMANDS MAY ELECT TO STAGGER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE VACCINE TO THEIR PERSONNEL. FOR EXAMPLE, A COMMAND MIGHT ELECT TO VACCINATE 50% OF ELIGIBLE PERSONNEL ONE WEEK AND THE REMAINING PERSONNEL THE FOLLOWING WEEK. ANOTHER OPTION WOULD BE TO SCHEDULE IMMUNIZATIONS IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO A PERIOD WHEN NO FLIGHTS ARE SCHEDULED (E.G., JUST PRIOR TO A HOLIDAY WEEKEND).
- C. SERVICE MEMBERS IN AN ACTIVE DIVING STATUS ARE NOW AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE FLUMIST, BUT INJECTABLE IS PREFERRED. IF NECESSARY THE TIMING AND ADMINISTRATION CONSIDERATIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE FOR ACTIVE FLYING PERSONNEL CAN BE ADOPTED.
- D. CIVILIAN BENEFICIARIES AGE 2-49 SHOULD BE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO USE FLUMIST IF THEY HAVE NO MEDICAL CONTRAINDICATIONS. COMMANDS, WHO EXPERIENCED SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGNS LAST YEAR, ENGAGED LEADERSHIP EARLY AND OFTEN TO SUPPORT THE EFFORT, HAD DESIGNATED AREAS FOR EXTENDED PERIODS FOR PROVIDING IMMUNIZATIONS THAT WERE EASILY IDENTIFIED, USED MANY PRINT MEDIA SUCH AS BASE NEWSLETTERS, AND FREQUENTLY REPORTED THE COMPLETION OF INTERMEDIATE GOALS TO THEIR LEADERSHIP. CONSIDER BACK TO SCHOOL CAMPAIGNS TO INCREASE CHILDHOOD IMMUNIZATION RATES.
- E. FLUMIST MAY BE ADMINISTERED CONCURRENTLY WITH OTHER VACCINES INCLUDING OTHER LIVE VIRUS VACCINES. HOWEVER, FOUR WEEKS MUST PASS BETWEEN SUBSEQUENT DOSES OF LIVE VIRUS VACCINES (E.G., MMR, VARICELLA, YELLOW FEVER, ADENOVIRUS, ROTAVIRUS, AND SMALLPOX). F. IN 2009, THE INTERIM FINAL RULE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON 10

DECEMBER AUTHORIZED THE TRICARE RETAIL NETWORK TO PROVIDE FOR THE

ADMINISTRATION OF H1N1 AND SEASONAL INFLUENZA AND PNEUMOCOCCAL VACCINE IN

THE RETAIL PHARMACY SETTING. THIS RULE WILL BE IN EFFECT DURING THE

UPCOMING INFLUENZA SEASON. THIS IS A GOOD OPTION FOR THOSE RETIREES OR

BENEFICIARIES DESIRING THE HIGH DOSE INFLUENZA VACCINE IF THE MTF HAS NO

SUPPLY. PERSONNEL WHO RECEIVE INFLUENZA VACCINATIONS FROM NON-MFTS SHOULD PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF IMMUNIZATION NO LATER THAN CLOSE OF BUSINESS THE NEXT DUTY DAY FOLLOWING VACCINATION.

- 9. ORDERING AND HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS FOR INJECTABLE AND FLUMIST VACCINES (A-G):
- DEPARTMENT OF NAVY HAS CENTRALLY ORDERED PEDIATRIC AND ADULT INFLUENZA VACCINE VIA NMLC VACCINE INFORMATION AND LOGISTICS SYSTEM (VIALS). ALL SUBSEQUENT REQUISITIONS SUBMITTED TO DEFENSTE LOGISTICS AGENCY, TROOP SUPPORT (DLA-TS) WILL BE REVIEWED BY NMLC AND DLA-TS AND SUBSTITUTIONS MAY BE MADE TO INSURE EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF INFLUENZA VACCINE WHEN AND WHERE NEEDED. CLOSE COORDINATION BETWEEN ACTIVITY SUPPLY AND LOGISTIC OFFICERS WITH NMLC AND DLA-TS IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED. THE NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER (NSN), PRICE AND AGE INDICATION FOR THE DOD INFLUENZA VACCINE SUPPLY ARE INDICATED IN PARAGRAPH 12 FOR TRACKING, SHIPPING, AND DOCUMENTATION PURPOSES. B. IN MAY 2011 AFTER THE DOD CONTRACTING PROCESS FOR THE YEAR HAD COMMENCED, THE FEDERAL DRUG ADMINISTRATION APPROVED A NEW VACCINE INDICATED FOR INDIVIDUALS 18-64 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER. THE VACCINE IS REFERRED TO AS THE INTRADERMAL INFLUENZA VIRUS VACCINE AND IS NOT AVAILABLE THOUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CENTRAL PURCHASING CONTRACTS NOR THROUGH THE PRIME VENDOR THIS VACCINE HAS NOT BEEN SHOWN TO BE MORE EFFECTIVE THAN OTHER INFLUENZA VACCINES, BUT THOSE MTFS WISHING TO MAKE THIS VACCINE AVAILABLE TO THEIR BENEFICIARIES 18-64 YEARS OF AGE MAY PURCHASE IT DIRECTLY THROUGH DEFENSE LOGISITICAL AGENCY (DLA) VIA DIRECT VENDOR BUY AND SHOULD SUBMIT THE ORDER THROUGH DLA.
- C. INJECTABLE VACCINE WILL BE TRANSPORTED AND HANDLED PER STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES. IT SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY PLACED IN A REFRIGERATOR AND MAINTAINED AT 2-8 CELSIUS OR 36-48 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT.
- D. FLUMIST IS NOW A REFRIGERATED PRODUCT AND MUST NOT BE REFROZEN AFTER DELIVERY. FLUMIST WILL BE SHIPPED ON DRY ICE TO ALLOW GLOBAL DELIVERY. IT SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY PLACED IN A REFRIGERATOR AND MAINTAINED AT 36-48 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT OR 2-8 CELSIUS (DO NOT REFREEZE).
- (1) DRY ICE TEMPTALE 4 MONITORS (TT4) WILL BE IN ALL CONUS

- FLUMIST SHIPMENTS. THESE MONITORS ARE DIFFERENT FROM THE TT4S IN OTHER SHIPMENTS. DO NOT DISCARD THESE MONITORS. THESE MONITORS HIBERNATE IN SHIPPING. REMOVE THE MONITOR FROM THE SHIPMENT AND PRESS THE STOP BUTTON. READ THE LCD SCREEN AT FIVE AND TEN MINUTES. FOLLOW THE STEPS IN PARAGRAPH 9.E. FOR RETURNING ALARMED AND NO ALARM TT4 MONITORS.
- (2). FLUMIST HAS AN 18 WEEK (126 DAYS) SHELF LIFE DATING FROM THE DATE OF THE FILLING OF THE SPRAYER BY THE MANUFACTURER. TT4 MONITORS WILL BE IN ALL INFLUENZA VACCINE SHIPMENTS. EACH SHIPMENT WILL CONTAIN A HANDLING SHEET WITH INSTRUCTIONS FOR RETURNING ALARMED AND NO-ALARM TT4 MONITORS TO DSCP-IF THE SHIPMENT IS IN AN ALARMED STATUS THE VACCINE CANNOT BE USED UNTIL THE TT4 IS RECEIVED BY DSCP TECHNICAL OUALITY SUPPORT BRANCH (DSCP-TSB) AND DISPOSITION IS GIVEN. PROMPT RETURN OF TT4 MONITORS IS CRITICAL AND BOTH ALARMED AND NO-ALARM TT4 MONITORS SHOULD BE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY. DISPOSITION FOR ALARMED MONITORS WILL BE PROVIDED WITHIN 24 HOURS OF RECEIPT OF THE TT4 MONITOR BY DLA-TSB. VACCINE HAS BEEN COMPROMISED POST-RECEIPT (E.G., REFRIGERATOR MALFUNCTION), PROVIDE DLA-TSB AND NMLC WITH AN EXECUTIVE SUMMARY (EXSUM) OUTLINING THE PRODUCT TIME AND TEMPERATURE DETAILS OF THE INCIDENT. RETURN THE VACCINE IMMEDIATELY TO REFRIGERATION AND DLA-TSB WILL PROVIDE DISPOSITION WITHIN 24 HOURS OF RECEIVING THE EXSUM.
- F. UNITS ARE ADVISED TO KEEP AN APPROPRIATE QUANTITY OF BOXES AND GEL PACKS ON HAND FOR LOCAL SHIPPING NEEDS THROUGHOUT THE SEASON. ALL PERSONNEL PERFORMING TRANS-SHIPMENT OF VACCINE NEED TO BE TRAINDED BY DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCIES AND MUST CONTACT DLA-TS PRIOR TO TRANS-SHIPMENT.
- G. NAVY RESERVE COMMAND VACCINE ORDERS WILL BE SHIPPED DIRECTLY TO NAVY RESERVE COMMANDS AND NOT TO THEIR ALIGNED MTF. NAVY RESERVE COMMANDS MUST ADHERE TO COLD CHAIN REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO RECEIVING VACCINE.
- 10. PREGNANCY AND BREAST-FEEDING: FLUMIST IS A LIVE ATTENUATED INFLUENZA VACCINE AND IS CONTRAINDICATED FOR PREGNANT WOMEN. HOWEVER, CDC NOTES EXCESS DEATHS AMONG PREGNANT WOMEN ASSOCIATED WITH PAST PANDEMICS OF INFLUENZA IN 1918 AND 1957, AND STUDIES INDICATE PREGNANCY CAN INCREASE RISK FOR SERIOUS MEDICAL COMPLICATIONS FROM INFLUENZA; THEREFORE PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD PROMPTLY BE VACCINATED AT ANY STAGE OF THE PREGNANCY WITH TIV. FLUMIST AND INJECTABLE VACCINES ARE NOT CONTRAINDICATED IN BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS.
- 11. A VACCINE INFORMATION STATEMENT (VIS) SHOULD BE PROVIDED TO EACH VACCINEE. CDC PUBLISHES A SEPARATE VIS FOR EACH PRODUCT.

- 12. KEEP ACCURATE RECORDS OF VACCINE USAGE. RECORD ALL IMMUNIZATIONS IN THE MEDICAL RECORD AND REPORT AS PER THE REQUIREMENTS IN REF (B) AND (D). USE THE FOLLOWING CVX CODES TO DOCUMENT IMMUNIZATION. 140 (INFLUENZA, SEASONAL INJECTABLE, PRESERVATIVE FREE), 141 (INFLUENZA, SEASONAL, INJECTABLE), AND 111 (INTRANASAL). THE CDC RETIRED CVX CODES 015 AND 088. IMMUNIZATION TRACKING SYSTEMS REFLECT THESE CHANGES.
- SENIOR LEADERSHIP MAINTAINS A HIGH INTEREST IN THE PROGRESS OF THE INFLUENZA VACCINE CAMPAIGN. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS THIS YEAR WILL BE MORE STRINGENT. PER REF (B), NAVY FORCE VACCINATION WILL BE MONITORED VIA THE MEDICAL READINESS REPORTING SYSTEM (MRRS). ACTIVE COORDINATION WITH COMMAND LEADERSHIP AND INVOLVEMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICERS AT ALL LEVELS IS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE VACCINE CAMPAIGN SUCCESS. SELECT NAVY INSTALLATIONS AND SUPPORTING MTFS WILL ADMINISTER INFLUENZA VACCINE TO UNIFORMED PERSONNEL UTILIZING PANDEMIC INFLUENZA POINT OF DISPENSING (POD) PLANS. THESE INSTALLATIONS, LOCATED IN NAVY REGIONS NORTHWEST, JAPAN AND MID-ATLANTIC, WILL HAVE 2 WORKING DAYS AFTER VACCINE RECEIPT TO VACCINATE AS MANY UNIFORMED PERSONNEL AS POSSIBLE. MEDICAL RECORD DOCUMENTATION OF VACCINATION IS REQUIRED, PER REF (D). MTFS MUST PROACTIVELY OFFER THIS VACCINE TO ALL WHO REQUEST IT, AND HIGHLY ENCOURAGE ITS USE FOR ALL CHILDREN, ADULT BENEFICIARIES, RETIREES, AND DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
- BENEFICIARIES, RETIREES, AND DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY CIVILIANS. THE GOAL IS TO USE VACCINE AS SOON AS IT IS RECEIVED THROUGH RAPID USAGE AND AGGRESSIVE SHOT EXERCISES, AND TO MINIMIZE QUANTITIES STORED LOCALLY.
- 14. NAVY SURGEON GENERAL'S INTENT IS THAT MTFS IN RECEIPT OF THIS YEAR'S

SEASONAL VACCINE SHALL PROVIDE IMMUNIZATION TO ANY DEPARTMENT OF THE

NAVY-ELIGIBLE BENEFICIARY PRESENTING FOR IMMUNIZATION REGARDLESS OF LOCAL

ENROLLMENT OR HEALTH-STATUS PRIORITIZATION. ALL RESERVISTS, WHO PRESENT A

VALID MILITARY IDENTIFICATION, ARE ALSO TO RECEIVE AVAILABLE VACCINE.

15. BE AWARE OF, AND TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE COMPLY WITH, ALL STATE LAWS GOVERNING ADMINISTRATION OF VACCINE TO PREGNANT WOMEN AND CHILDREN. THE STATES OF CALIFORNIA, IOWA, DELAWARE, ILLINOIS, MISSOURI, WASHINGTON, AND NEW YORK HAVE ENACTED LEGISLATION RESTRICTING THE USE OF THIMEROSAL (ETHYL-MERCURY) CONTAINING VACCINES. BE AWARE THAT CONCERNS MAY BE HIGH REGARDING THIS ISSUE IN OTHER STATES AS WELL. THIMEROSAL-FREE

VACCINES HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE FOR ORDERING AND ARE SO NOTED IN PARAGRAPH 16.

16. COORDINATE ORDERS FOR ADDITIONAL FLUMIST OR INJECTABLE VACCINE THROUGH VIALS. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON DOD INFLUENZA VACCINE STOCKS IS PROVIDED (A-F):

A. NSN: 6505-01-597-1283 FLUZONE VIAL

MFR: SANOFI-PASTEUR

U/I: VI (0.5 ML OR .25 ML MULTIDOSE VIAL, 10 OR 20

DOSES)

AGE: 6 MONTHS AND OLDER

NDC: 49281-0388-15 CONTAINS THIMEROSOL

PRICE: \$64.37 (FY 11) \$67.84 (FY 12)

B. NSN: 6505-01-593-6465 AFLURIA MULTIDOSE VIAL

MFR: MERCK SHARPE & DOHME

U/I: VI (0.5 ML OR .25 ML MULTIDOSE VIAL, 10 OR 20

DOSES)

AGE: 5 YEARS AND OLDER

NDC: 33332-111-10 CONTAINS THIMEROSOL

PRICE: \$55.07 (FY 11) \$57.97 (FY 12)

C. NSN: 6505-01-593-9356 (THIMEROSAL FREE) PEDIATRIC FLUZONE SYRINGE

MFR: SANOFI-PASTEUR

U/I: PG (0.25 ML PRE-FILLED SYRINGE, 10 PER PACKAGE)

AGE: 6 MONTHS TO 35 MONTHS

NDC: 49281-0111-25 THIMEROSOL-FREE

PRICE: \$121.43 (FY 11) \$128.38 (FY 12)

D. NSN: 6505-01-595-3897 (THIMEROSOL FREE) AFLURIA PREFILLED SYRINGE

MFR: MERCK SHARPE & DOHME

U/I: PG (0.5 ML PRE-FILLED SYRINGE, 10 PER PACKAGE)

AGE: 5 YEARS AND OLDER

NDC: 33332-011-01 THIMEROSOL-FREE

PRICE: \$68.44 (FY 11) \$72.16 (FY 12)

E. NSN: 6505-01-597-3559 (THIMEROSOL FREE) FLUZONE PREFILLED SYRINGE

MFR: SANOFI-PASTEUR

U/I: PG (0.5 ML PRE-FILLED SYRINGE, 10 PER PACKAGE)

AGE: 36 MONTHS OR OLDER

NDC: 49281-0011-50 THIMEROSOL FREE

PRICE: \$81.82 (FY 11) \$86.35 (FY 12)

F. NSN: 6505-01-596-1110 FLUMIST (THIMEROSAL FREE)

MFR: MEDIMMUNE VACCINES INC

U/I: PG (0.2 ML PREFILLED SINGLE USE SPRAYER, 10 PER

PACKAGE)

AGE: 2 YEARS THROUGH 49 YEARS

NDC: 66019-109-10 THIMEROSOL-FREE

PRICE: \$148.34 (FY 11) \$156.94 (FY 12)

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